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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
291958158USApplication No.  
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H. D. WilkinsArt Unit  
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Applicant(s): Hanson et al.

Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL PROCESSING OF  
MICROELECTRONIC WORKPIECES

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	27	- 90 =	0	x	
Independent Claims	4	- 13 =	0	x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
Extension for response within second month;					450.00
Acceptance of an unintentionally delayed claim for priority					1,370.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					1,820.00

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A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ A check in the amount of \$ 1,820.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 50-0665  
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